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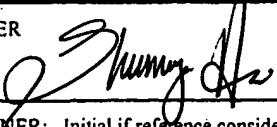
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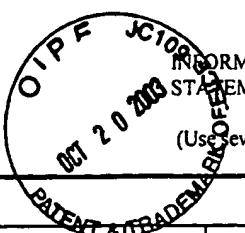
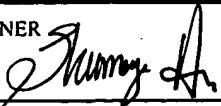
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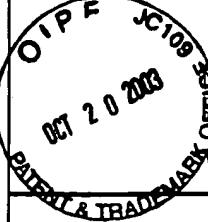
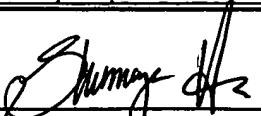
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		5,117,819	6/2/1992	Servidio et al.			
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		5,193,532	3/16/1993	Moa et al.			
<i>✓</i>		5,220,699	6/22/1993	Farris			
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		5,361,416	11/8/1994	Petrie et al.			
		5,477,852	12/26/1995	Landis et al.			
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		6,119,693	09/19/2000	Kwok et al.			
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↓		6,192,886	2/27/2001	Rudolph			
SA		6,418,929	7/16/2002	Norfleet			

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A graph showing a piecewise linear function $f(x)$ plotted against x . The function is zero for $x < -1$. For $-1 < x < 0$, it increases from $(0,0)$ to $(1,1)$. For $x > 0$, it increases from $(0,1)$ to $(2,2)$. A horizontal line is drawn at $y = 1$.

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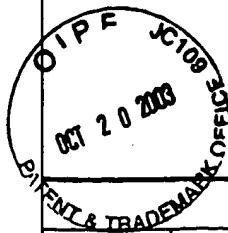
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sk	6,470,886	10/29/2002	Jestrabek-Hart			

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